### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

ANTHONY MARANO COMPANY

**Plaintiff** 

٧.

Case No. <u>08CV4244</u> Judge Zagel Magistrate Judge Brown

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW, INC., an Illinois corporation, d/b/a MELROSE FRESH MARKET, PETER LIMPERIS, and MAKIS LIMPERIS

**Defendants** 

JACK TUCHTEN WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.

Intervening Plaintiff

٧.

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW, INC., an Illinois corporation, d/b/a MELROSE FRESH MARKET, PETER LIMPERIS, and MAKIS LIMPERIS

Defendants.

### MOTION FOR LEAVE TO INTERVENE AS PLAINTIFF

COMES NOW Jack Tuchten Wholesale Produce, Inc. (hereafter referred to as "movant"), by and through undersigned counsel, and files this Motion For Leave to Intervene as Plaintiff in the above captioned action, pursuant to Rule 24 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and in support thereof states as follows:

1. Movant is a supplier of wholesale quantities of fresh fruits and vegetables to the defendants under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act ("PACA"), 7 U.S.C. 499(e)(c), in the sum of \$28,414.50.

- 2. Movant requests leave to intervene in this action by filing a complaint against the defendants, MS-Grand Bridgeview, Inc., d/b/a Melrose Fresh Market, Peter Limperis and Makis Limperis.
- 3. Movant is entitled to intervene in this action as a matter of right pursuant to Rule 24(a), for the following reasons: (a) it is a beneficiary of the statutory trust which is the subject of this action; and (b) it is so situated that the disposition of the action without its presence as an intervening plaintiff may, as a practical matter, impair or impede its ability to protect its interest.
- 4. In addition, movant may be permitted to intervene in this action pursuant to Rule 24(b) because it has claims against the defendants which involve the same questions of law and fact as those involved in the action brought by the original plaintiff.
- 5. Intervention by movant as intervening plaintiff will not unduly delay or prejudice the adjudication of the rights of the original party.
  - 6. Plaintiff in the underlying action does not object to the intervention of movant.
- 7. The claims of movant are set out in the Complaint in Intervention attached hereto as Exhibit A.

WHEREFORE movant requests that it be granted leave to intervene in the above captioned action against the defendants, and for such other and further relief as the nature of its cause may require.

Dated: August 13, 2008.

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LAW OFFICES OF WILLIAM B. KOHN

By:s/ Mary Jean Fassett

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Attorneys for Intervening Plaintiff

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned counsel hereby certifies that a copy of the Motion for Leave to Intervene, Memorandum in Support, proposed Complaint in Intervention, and proposed Order, were served on all counsel of record via the Court's CM/ECF system and by sending a copy of the forgoing via U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, on this 13th day of August, 2008, to the following:

MS-Grand Bridgeview, Inc. d/b/a Melrose Fresh Market Serve: Alfred S. Lee, Registered Agent 380 S. Schmale Road, Ste. 102 Carol Stream, IL 60188

Peter Limperis 10280 S. Harlem Avenue Bridgeview, Illinois 60455

Makis Limperis 10280 S. Harlem Avenue Bridgeview, Illinois 60455

s/ Mary Jean Fassett
Mary Jean Fassett

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Defendants

JACK TUCHTEN WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. 2404 S. WOLCOTT, Suite 31 Chicago, Illinois 60608 (312) 226-4536

Intervening Plaintiff

٧.

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW, INC., an Illinois corporation, d/b/a MELROSE FRESH MARKET, 10280 S. Harlem Avenue Bridgeview, Illinois 60455 (708) 398-6330

and

PETER LIMPERIS 10280 S. Harlem Avenue Bridgeview, Illinois 60455 (708) 398-6330

and

MAKIS LIMPERIS 10280 S. Harlem Avenue Bridgeview, Illinois 60455 (708) 398-6330

**Defendants** 

Case No. <u>08CV4244</u>
Judge Zagel
Magistrate Judge Brown

**EXHIBIT A** 

# COMPLAINT IN INTERVENTION (To Enforce Payment From Produce Trust)

Jack Tuchten Wholesale Produce, Inc. ("intervening plaintiff"), for its complaint in intervention against defendants, alleges:

### JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 1. Jurisdiction is based on Section 5(c)(5) of the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act (hereafter "the PACA"), 7 U.S.C. §499e(c)(5), 28 U.S.C. §1331 and 28 U.S.C. §1332.
- 2. Venue in this District is based on 28 U.S.C. §1391 in that (a) intervening plaintiff's claims arose in this District and (b) defendants' principal place of business is in this District.

### **PARTIES**

- 3. Intervening plaintiff, Jack Tuchten Wholesale Produce, Inc., an Illinois corporation with its principal place of business in Chicago, Illinois, is engaged in the business of buying and selling wholesale quantities of produce in interstate commerce and was at all times pertinent herein, a dealer subject to and licensed under the provisions of the PACA as a dealer.
- 4. a. Defendant, MS-Grand Bridgeview, Inc., d/b/a Melrose Fresh Market ("MS-Grand"), an Illinois corporation with its principal place of business in Bridgeview, Illinois, is engaged in the business of buying and selling wholesale quantities of produce in interstate commerce and was at all times pertinent herein, a dealer subject to the provisions of the PACA.

b. Defendant, Peter Limperis and Makis Limperis, were the officers and directors of MS-Grand who controlled the day to day operations of MS-Grand and were in positions of control over the PACA trust assets belonging to intervening plaintiff.

### GENERAL ALLEGATIONS

- 5. This action is brought to enforce the trust provisions of P.L. 98-273, the 1984 amendment to Section 5(c) of the PACA, 7 U.S.C. §499e(c).
- 6. Between June 1, 2008 and June 28, 2008 intervening plaintiff sold to MS-Grand, in interstate commerce, wholesale amounts of produce worth \$28,414.50.
  - 7. Defendants accepted the produce from intervening plaintiff.
- 8. At the time of receipt of the produce, intervening plaintiff became a beneficiary in a statutory trust designed to assure payment to produce suppliers. The trust consists of all produce or produce-related assets, including all funds commingled with funds from other sources and all assets procured by such funds, in the possession or control of defendants since the creation of the trust.
- 9. Intervening plaintiff preserved its interests in the PACA trust in the amount of \$28,414.50 by sending invoices to defendants which contained the language required by 7 U.S.C. §499e(c)(4) and remains a beneficiary until full payment is made for the produce. See Statement of Account and copies of Invoices, attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 10. Defendants have not disputed the debt in any way but have failed to make payment to intervening plaintiff in accordance with the trust provisions of PACA.
- 11. Defendants' failure and refusal to pay intervening plaintiff demonstrates that defendants are failing to maintain sufficient assets in the statutory trust to pay intervening plaintiff and are dissipating trust assets.

### Count 1 (Failure to Pay Trust Funds)

- 12. Intervening plaintiff incorporates each and every allegation set forth in paragraphs 1 to 11 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 13. The failure of defendants to make payment to intervening plaintiff of trust funds in amount of \$28,414.50 from the statutory trust is a violation of PACA and PACA regulations, and is unlawful.

WHEREFORE, intervening plaintiff requests an order enforcing payment from the trust by requiring immediate payment of \$28,414.50 to intervening plaintiff, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

### Count 2 (Failure to Pay For Goods Sold)

- 14. Intervening plaintiff incorporates each and every allegation set forth in paragraphs 1 to 13 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 15. Defendants failed and refused to pay intervening plaintiff the amount of \$28,414.50 owed to intervening plaintiff for produce and other items received by defendants from intervening plaintiff.

WHEREFORE, intervening plaintiff requests judgment in the amount of \$28,414.50 against the defendants, jointly and severally, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

# Count 3 (Unlawful Dissipation of Trust Assets by a Company Official – Peter Limperis)

16. Intervening plaintiff incorporates each and every allegation set forth in paragraphs 1 to 15 above as if fully set forth herein.

- 17. Defendant, Peter Limperis, was an officer and director of MS-Grand during the period of time in question and who was in a position of control over the PACA trust assets belonging to intervening plaintiff.
- 18. Defendant, Peter Limperis, failed to direct the company to fulfill its statutory duties to preserve PACA trust assets and pay intervening plaintiff for the produce supplied.
- 19. Defendant, Peter Limperis's failure to direct the company to maintain PACA trust assets and pay intervening plaintiff for the produce it supplied was an unlawful dissipation of trust assets by a company official.
- 20. As a result of said unlawful dissipation of trust assets, intervening plaintiff has been deprived of its rights as a beneficiary in the produce trust and has been denied payment for the produce it supplied.

WHEREFORE, intervening plaintiff requests judgment against defendant, Peter Limperis, in the amount of \$28,414.50, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

# Count 4 (Unlawful Dissipation of Trust Assets by a Company Official –Makis Limperis)

- 21. Intervening plaintiff incorporates each and every allegation set forth in paragraphs 1 to 20 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 22. Defendant, Makis Limperis, was an officer and director of MS-Grand during the period of time in question and who was in a position of control over the PACA trust assets belonging to intervening plaintiff.
- 23. Defendant, Makis Limperis, failed to direct the company to fulfill its statutory duties to preserve PACA trust assets and pay intervening plaintiff for the produce supplied.

- 24. Defendant, Makis Limperis's failure to direct the company to maintain PACA trust assets and pay intervening plaintiff for the produce it supplied was an unlawful dissipation of trust assets by a company official.
- 25. As a result of said unlawful dissipation of trust assets, intervening plaintiff has been deprived of its rights as a beneficiary in the produce trust and has been denied payment for the produce it supplied.

WHEREFORE, intervening plaintiff requests judgment against defendant, Makis Limperis, in the amount of \$28,414.50, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

## Count 5 (Interest and Attorneys Fees)

- 26. Intervening plaintiff incorporates each and every allegation set forth in paragraphs 1 to 25 above as if fully set forth herein.
- 27. As a result of defendants' failure to make full payment promptly for the produce sold and delivered to MS-Grand, intervening plaintiff has lost the use of said money.
- 28. As a further result of defendants' failure to make full payment promptly for the produce sold and delivered to MS-Grand, intervening plaintiff has been required to pay attorney's fees and costs in order to bring this action to require defendants to comply with their statutory duties.
- 29. PACA and the invoices of intervening plaintiff entitle intervening plaintiff to recover prejudgment interest and attorney's fees incurred to collect any balance due from defendants.

WHEREFORE, intervening plaintiff requests judgment against each of the defendants, jointly and severally, for prejudgment interest, costs and attorneys fees, and for such other and further relief as the Court deems appropriate.

Dated: August 13, 2008.

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### JACK TUCHTEN WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC Age Analysis - Outstanding for Customer = MSG Aged as of 08/04/08

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Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/01/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 131114

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
216	STRAWBERRY, CLAMSHELL CA	6.00	1296.00
56	CAL-FRUIT ROMAINE HEARTS, 12/3	5.00	280.00
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1576.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 131115

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
8	APRICOT TRAY PACK, 64	12.00	96.00
3	Z&S APRICOT TRAY PACK, 72 Z&S	12.00	36.00

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Total

132.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/02/08

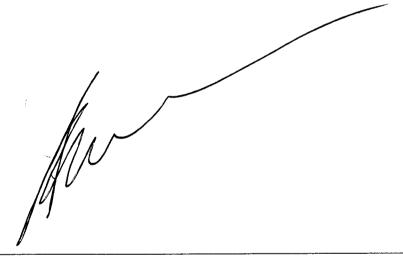
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FAX: 312/226-7796

### **MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW**

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

T	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
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	7	D' ANJOU, RED 70	15.00	105.00
		DOVEX		
	7	D'ANJOU, 70	28.00	196.00
		DOVEX		
	10	KIWI, VOLUME FILL 39	13.50	135.00
		DEL MONTE		



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Total

436.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/03/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

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### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

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Quantity U	M Description	Price	Amount
85	RED, GRAPE FLAME	15.00	1275.00
	DEL-MONTE		
10	D'ANJOU, 70	28.00	280.00
	DOVEX		
20	CUCUMBER SEEDLESS, 12	13.00	260.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/05/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536 FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 132286

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

T	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
-	6	CANTALOUPE, LARGE (BIN)	165.00	990.00

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990.00

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 132491

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S. **MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

=	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
	5	D' ANJOU, RED 70	15.00	75.00
		DOVEX		Ì

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Date: 06/06/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 133024

### **MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW**

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

1	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
	20	BEAN, GREEN	17.50	350.00
	35	ROMAINE, 24 FOXY	13.50	472.50
	80	NECTARINE, VOLUME FILL 64 TOP SHELF	15.00	1200.00



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2022.50

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Date: 06/07/08

PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

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MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
42	CANTALOUPE, 9 SIZE JUMBO	11.50	483.00
	BIG A		
20	HONEYDEW, 6 SIZE	7.50	150.00
	DEL-MONTE		
10	D' ANJOU, RED 70	15.00	150.00
	DOVEX		



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783.00

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 133389

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DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

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	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
	60	EGGPLANT, FANCY	14.50	870.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608

PHONE: 312/226-4536

Invoice: 134183

Date: 06/10/08

FAX: 312/226-7796

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
85	BASKET FLOWERS, REGULAR	8.50	722.50

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/10/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 134199

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
40	FLATS, ITALIAN BASIL (15/FLAT)	16.00	640.00

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640.00

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Date: 06/10/08

WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 134215

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
96	GREEN, GRAPE PERLETTE	12.00	1152.00
85	OPPENHEIMR RED, GRAPE FLAME	12.00	1020.00
00	DEL-MONTE		

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Total

2172.00

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## WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.

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Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/14/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice:135882

### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
10	D'ANJOU, 70 DOVEX	28.00	280.00
85	RED, GRAPE FLAME LUZ ELENA	12.00	1020.00
96	GREEN, GRAPE PERLETTE OPPENHEIME	11.00	1056.00
15	ROMAINE, 24 FOXY	13.50	202.50



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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/15/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 136131

### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
34	RED, GRAPE FLAME	12.00	408.00
	LUZ ELENA		
51	RED, GRAPE FLAME	12.00	612.00
	LUZ ELENA		
64	STRAWBERRY, CLAMSHELL CA	7.50	480.00
	SEA BREEZE		
10	CANTALOUPE, 9 SIZE	11.50	115.00
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1615.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.

Date: 06/15/08

Chicago International Produce Market

PHONE: 312/226-4536

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 Invoice: 136140

FAX: 312/226-7796

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
216	STRAWBERRY, CLAMSHELL CA	5.00	1080.00
20	RED BLOSSO LETTUCE CELLO, 24	19.00	380.00
15	KINGSIZE GRAPEFRUIT, STAR RUBY 36 RIVERSIDE	17.00	255.00

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**Total** 

1715.00

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Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/16/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 136417-A

### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity	UM	Description	Price	Amount
5	•	ROMAINE, 24	13.50	67.50
		FOXY		
15		LIME 230	8.00	120.00
		CHELY		
15		GRAPEFRUIT, WHITE, 36	17.00	255.00
		RIVERSIDE		
10		ASPARAGUS, 28# STANDARD	41.00	410.00
		DOLE		
4		CANTALOUPE, TUSCAN	7.50	30.00
		DULCINEA		
10		WATERMELON, BARY	6.50	65.00
		DULCINEA		

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.

Chicago International Produce Market 2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 · Chicago, Illinois 60608 Invoice: 136931

PHONE: 312/226-4536

Date: 06/17/08

FAX: 312/226-7796

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

T	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
-	70	HONEYDEW, 6 SIZE	6.00	420.00
1		BURNAND		
	1	MUSHROOM, BABY BELLA	14.00	14.00

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434.00

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Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/17/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 136988

### **MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW**

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
88	CHERRY, BING 11.5 ROW	21.00	1848.00
	FARMINGTON		

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1848.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/21/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 138629

### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity U	M Description	Price	Amount
10	LIME 230	8.00	80.00
	CHELY		
13	GALA, 110	37.50	487.50
50	RED, GRAPE FLAME	11.50	575.00
	DEL-MONTE		
10	CELERY, SLEEVED 24	18.00	180.00
	BLACK BOX		
10	EGGPLANT, FANCY	15.00	150.00
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Total

1472.50

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/22/08

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Invoice:138844

### MS-GRAND-BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
20	LEMON, 235CT PREMIER	21.00	420.00
20	BLACK, PLUM 70 Z&S	13.50	270.00

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Total

690.00

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Date: 06/23/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 · Chicago, Illinois 60608 Invoice: 139031 PHONE: 312/226-4536

FAX: 312/226-7796

### **MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW**

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
25	PLUOT 50	19.00	475.00
	CALIFORNIA		
5	LEMON, 95	40.00	200.00
	PREMIER		
15	PINEAPPLE 6	12.00	180.00
	CHIQUITA		400.00
20	LIME 230	8.00	160.00
	CHELY	40.00	18.00
1	DILL, 24 BUNCH	18.00	10.00
5	ONION GREEN, JUMBO	10.50	52.50
อ	OMO	10.50	02.00
5	POTATO WHITE, A	25.00	125.00

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Total

1210.50

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Date: 06/23/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

T	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
_	5	TOMATO GRAPE, 12/1 PINT	24.00	120.00
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**Total** 

120.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.

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Date: 06/24/08

Chicago International Produce Market

PHONE: 312/226-4536

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FAX: 312/226-7796

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 Invoice: 139433

**MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW** 

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
4	RED LEAF	12.50	50.00
ē.	TOPLESS		
1	ESCAROLE	15.00	15.00
_	WESTERN EX	4.500	
2	ENDIVE	15.00	30.00
	TOPLESS	17.50	35.00
2	ANISE BONIPAK	17.50	35.00
5	CARROTS, CELLO CALIFORNIA	17.50	87.50
9	OAMOTO, OLLLO OALII OMMA	17.00	01.00
10	CAULIFLOWER, 9	13.00	130.00
	FOXY		
20	ZUCCHINI, FANCY	12.00	240.00
	PACIFIC CO		
15	EGGPLANT, FANCY	15.00	225.00
20	DEWITT	21.00	420.00
20	LEMON, 235CT PREMIER	21.00	420.00
5	PACKHAM, 70	29.00	145.00
,	I AOMIANI, IV	23.00	140.00
56	CANTALOUPE, 12 SIZE	9.50	532.00
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**Total** 

1909.50

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All claims of whatever nature must be made immediately upon receipt of goods. Purchaser must assume all risk.



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Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/26/08

2404 South Wolcott, Unit 31 • Chicago, Illinois 60608 PHONE: 312/226-4536 FAX: 312/226-7796 Invoice: 140155

MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

	Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
1	15	LETTUCE CELLO, 24 GREENGIANT	14.00	210.00
	10	ORANGE FL, VALENCIA 125 RIVER PRID	16.00	160.00
	80	PEACH, VOLUME FILL 72 Z&S	12.00	960.00

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**Total** 

1330.00

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC. Chicago International Produce Market

Date: 06/28/08

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FAX: 312/226-7796

Invoice: 141049-A

### MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW

DBA MELROSE FRESH MARKET 10280 S.

Quantity UM	Description	Price	Amount
5	CELERY, SLEEVED 30	22.00	110.00
	DOLE		
20	PINEAPPLE 8	11.00	220.00
	CHIQUITA		

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Total

330.00

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### UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

ANTHONY MARANO COMPANY	:
Plaintiff	:
v.  MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW, INC., an Illinois corporation, d/b/a MELROSE FRESH MARKET, PETER LIMPERIS, and MAKIS LIMPERIS	: Case No. <u>08CV4244</u> : Judge Zagel : Magistrate Judge Brown :
JACK TUCHTEN WHOLESALE PRODUCE, INC.	: ; : :
Intervening Plaintiff v.	: : :
MS-GRAND BRIDGEVIEW, INC., an Illinois corporation, d/b/a MELROSE FRESH MARKET, PETER LIMPERIS, and MAKIS LIMPERIS	· : : :

Defendants.

### **ORDER**

UPON CONSIDERATION of the Motion for Leave to Intervene as Pl	aintiff filed by
Jack Tuchten Wholesale Produce, Inc. and the proposed Complaint In Inte	rvention, and
any opposition thereto, it is by the Court, this day of	_, 2008,
ORDERED, that the Motion for Leave to Intervene as Plaintiff be, a	nd is hereby,
granted; and it is further,	

**ORDERED**, that Jack Tuchten Wholesale Produce, Inc. is granted leave to file its Complaint in Intervention in this action.

Judge, United States District Court